BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

Notice re Bye-Law, No. 22, dated 9th December 1897.

CONSTRUCTING PRIVY PITS WITH STONE.

It is hereby notified to those concerned who may be required to construct stone-lined privy pits under Section 22 of the Bye-Laws, City Municipality, that in order to help house owners to comply with the provision of this Bye-Law, the Municipality will undertake to do such work on parties depositing cost of the same. Applications for constructing of privy pits can be made to the Municipal Office, to the Sanitary Department or to Conservancy Overseer of Division.

COLLECTION DEPARTMENT.

The 31st December 1897.

The Office of the Collector of Municipal Taxes, City Municipality, is removed to the Head Office, Fort, where all official business connected with Municipal taxes, assessments, &c., is attended to daily, Sundays excepted.

The following Sections of the Municipal Regulations are published for general information.

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

Commissioners to keep a Register of births and deaths and appoint Registrars.

211. The Commissioners shall keep in their office a Register of all births and deaths within the limits of the town of Bangalore, and for this purpose they shall divide the said town into such and so many districts as they shall think fit, and for every such district they shall appoint a person to be Registrar of Births and Deaths within such district.

Every Registrar to live in his district; list of Registrars to be published, &c.

212. Every Registrar shall reside within the district of which he is Registrar, and shall cause his name with the addition of "Registrar of Births and Deaths" for the district for which he shall be so appointed, to be placed in some conspicuous place on or near the outer-door of his own dwelling-house; and the Commissioners shall cause to be printed and published a list containing the name and place of abode of every Registrar of Births and Deaths in the town.

Commissioners to have Register books prepared and numbered.

213. The Commissioners shall cause to be prepared and printed a sufficient number of Register books for making entries of all births and deaths which may take place in the town, according to the forms prescribed in Schedules K & L, to these Regulations annexed, and the page of such book shall be numbered progressively from the beginning to the end.

Registrar to inform himself of and register births and deaths.

214. Every Registrar shall inform himself carefully of every birth and of every death which shall happen in his district after these Regulations come into operation; shall learn and register, as soon as conveniently may be after the event, without fee or reward, the particulars required to be registered, according to the forms in the said Schedules K & L respectively, touching every such birth and every such death, as the case may be, which shall not have been already registered, every such entry being made in order from the beginning to the end of the book.

Information of births to be given within one week.

215. The father or mother of every child born, within the limits of the town of Bangalore, or in case of the death, illness, absence, or inability of the father and mother, some person who was present at or in attendance during the child-birth shall, within one week next after the day of every such birth, give information to the Registrar of the district according to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, of the several particulars hereby required to be known and registered touching the birth of such child. Any person whose duty it shall be to give information to a Registrar under this section, and who shall refuse or neglect to give such information, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees for each offence.

Information of death how to be given.

216. Some one of the persons present at the death or in attendance during the last illness of every person dying within the limits of the said town, or in case of the death, illness, inability or default of all such persons, the occupier of the building or tenement or in case the occupier be the person, who shall have died, some inmate of the building or tenement in which such death shall have happened shall, within eight days next after the day of such death, give information to the Registrar of the district according to the best of his or her knowledge or belief of the several particulars hereby required to be known and registered touching the death of such person. It shall also be the duty of every person, who is conducting or performing the funeral ceremonies of any person, who has died within the limits of the said town, when required, to furnish to the Registrar, or to any person authorized by him, such information as he may possess in relation to the said several particulars. Any such person who shall neglect or refuse to give such information shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees.

Person giving information to sign the Register.

217. Every person by whom the information contained in any register of births or deaths under these Regulations, shall have been given, shall, if he can write, sign in the register his name, description and place of abode, and if he cannot write, shall put his mark in the register to his name, description and place of abode; and no such registration shall be deemed to be complete or of any effect until such person shall have so signed or put his mark to it.